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upon the speedy and neat execution of work ordered, jan 1-tf NAVIGATION RESUMED. The steamer THOMAS COLLYER has resumed her trips between Alex-

audria and Washington. Leaving Alexandria at 8. 10. 12. 2. and 4 o'clock-Washington at 9, 11, 1, 3, and 5 o'clock. The OMNIBUSES will run regularly, leaving

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-Having lately fitted up one of the handsomest and most spacious Warerooms in the city, for the FURNITURE BUSINESS, I respectfully invite public attention to my large stock of FURNI-TURE, which I am constantly increasing. Perting our city will find it to their advan- and St. Louis. tage to give me a call, as the range of my GOODS, in respect to quality and price, is such as to sover the wants and views of all. My stock com risos Mahogany Sofas, Rocking, Cane and Wood Seat Sitting Chairs, Sideboards, Dressing Bureaus, (marble top and plain,) Marble Top and Plain Wash Stands, Marble Top Sofa, Card, Book, and Fancy Tables, Cottage Set, Bedsteads of all patterns, such as High, Fielding, French, Low-Post, Trundle Bedsteads, several patterns of Cottage Bedsteads; Hat Racks, Wardrobes, Looking Glasses, and a large number of other articles embraced

Beds, Bolsters, Pillows, Mattresses, &c., constantly on hand. JAMES H. DEVAUGHN. oct 2-tf

INVITE CITIZENS AND STRANGERS to eall at my MANUPACTORY, No. 141 KING STREET, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND ST. ASAPH STREETS, and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be surpassed in my line of business by any other city. I have on hand, and am daily manufacturing, as fine and superior an assortment as can be found in any of the Northern cities. My stock comprises as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HARNESS of all kinds, from the fine quilt work down to the dray, cart, and plough Harness; TRUNKS of every kind, fine Sole Leather, Steel Spring Iron Frame Ladies' Trunks and Bonnet Boxes, and all other kinds, down to the common Packing Trunks; Saddles, Bridles, Martingills, Whips, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and Fancy Robes, Driving Gloves, Herse Covers, Carpet Bags, Valices, &c., &c., of all kinds. Call and see for yourselves.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended, I solicit a continuance of the same and pledge myself to spare no pains to give satisfaction. All goods warranted to be as represented. WM. F. PADGETT. oct 31-tf

WORCESTERS PIANOS.—From the New York Commercial Advertiser, November 17th, 1859 :- "For the better part of a generation they have been constantly before the public, all of them, old and new, proving, by their stability and constancy, the skill with which they are constructed. For durability of tone, for evenness and uniformity of work, and for excellence of frames, these PIANOS may well challenge competition. We know instruments of Mr. Worcestor's turn out, that have borne the thumping of fifteen years, and remain as perfect in tone and in build as in their first estate. The number made at this Factory is largely increased from year to year." I am sole Agent in Alexandria, for the above PIANOS, and will furnish any number at Factory prices, 5 per ct. off for cash, or at six months for approved negotiable paper, and WARRANT every Instrument. Feeling perfectly satisfied that a better PIANO cannot be had in the United States, I respectfully solicit orders from all who want, and are disposed to patronize home trade.

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CIGARS, to which they invite the attention of dealers. They pledge themselves to furnish the above articles on as favorable terms as they can be pro-

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BOYS AND WOMEN'S SHAWLS, TO BE CLOSED OUT AT A SACRIFICE.-Will be sold extremely low to close consignment, a lot of SHAWLS, suitable for boys and warmen. Call of SHAWLS, suitable for boys and women. Call JOHN T. CREIGHTON, Auct., No. 88, King-street.

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, January 30th, 1860, the Train leaves Alexandria, at 7.15 o'clock, A. M., for Lynchburg and the Southwest, connecting at Gordonsville with the Trains on the Virginia Central Railroad, for Richmond, Charlottesville, Staunton, &c., and with the Train on

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Jackson, &c. -Through Tickets to-RICHMOND, LYNCHBURG,

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BY RAILROAD AND FIRST CLASS COACHES A DAILY LINE will commence running above, on Monday, the 16th instant, by way of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad, and Mean's and Fawsett's mail line of Coaches. Leave the Railroad Depot at Alexandria, corner of Water and Oronoco streets, at 10, A. M. arriving at Winchester at 7, P. M. Leave Winchester at 32, A. M., arriving at Al

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MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD. PASSENGERS for this Road will leave the Alexandria Station, in the Orange Train, at 7, A. M., daily (Sundays excepted,) arrive at Alexandria at 2, P. M. Through tickets by this route to Middleburg and Winchester.

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JOHN T. RIGNEY,
Assistant Superintendent

Baltimore, sep 12-tf FALL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ADAMS' EXPRESS COMPANY INVITE the attention of the public to the facili ties afforded by this Company, for the quick and safe conveyance of Specie, Bank Notes, valuable

packages, heavy and bulky freight, &c. EXPRESSES for the East, to Baltimore, Phila &c., leave our office daily, at 111 o'cleck, A. M. EXPRESSES for the South, to Richmond, Fred ericksburg, Petersburg, Lynchburg, and for points in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and Tennessee, leave daily, at 114, A. M. Our EXPRESSES are always accompanied by eareful and trustworthy messengers, and the public can rely upon all business entrusted to us being done with safety, punctuality, and despatch. RATES .- From Baltimore, 37 cents per 100 lbs.

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NEW STOVE AND TIN STORE, No. 14 Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va. CARD .- ENOUH GRIMES respectfully in-A forms his friends and the public generally, that he has associated with him his son JAMES E GRIMES, and under the firm name of E. GRIMES & SON, we have resumed at the old stand on Fair fax street, the STOVE, AND TIN WARE BUSI-NESS IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, and hope and expect to conduct the same, so as to merit the confi dence and patronage of all who may give us a call. especially to out door work, both in town and country, such as
ROOFING, GUTTEKING and SPOUTING,

And all kinds of Stove and Furnace Work, and Jobs that require skill and experience. All Jobbing and Repairing attended to in person. Our Stock of STOVES is intended to suit the wants of every body. We are determined to please, both in work done and goods sold. Our expenses are small and we shall be content with small profits. 720 Orders from the country, either for work

or for goods promptly attended to. E. GRIMES & SON. oct 1-ly ARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF I STOVES ever offered in this market, consisting of the following COOKING STOVES, Diamond Rock, Stewart Stoves; Pennsylvanian, Leader, Charter Oak, Nevada, Comet, Western Diamone, Wisconsin, York Complete, and Nine Plates. PARLOR STOVES .- For Coal-The Macgregor, all sizes; Two Column Radiators, Gas Burners, Slidings Door, Open Fronts, Keisterbock, Forrest

Grate, Feimour and Latrobe STOVES; Parlor Graces, Globe, Office, and Bar Room STOVES. Wood Stoves-Self Regulators, Cottage Parlors, Oven Parlors, Air Tight, Six-plates, and Box Stoves; Coal Hods, Faney, Galvanized, and Japanned Coal Sives, Coal Shovels, Stove Pollish, Sheet Zine, Sheet Iron, Stove Brick, and Sonp Stone, Stove Pipe, Tin-Ware, Tin Safes, Japanned

Ware, Oyster Stewers, Chafing Dishes, &c., &c. H. I. GREGORY, Nos. 118 and 120, King-street. JOHN T. CREIGHTON, Auctioneer.

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WE will make Collections on all accessible points in the United States, and hold proceeds subject to Check, or remit promptly to any designated point.
We will deal in Exchange, Time Bills, Promis sory Notes, Uncurrent Money, Coin, &c. STOCKS and other Securities bought and sold

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DAVID FUNSTEN, WILL practice in the several Courts in the District of Columbia, and in the Circuit Court of Alexandria. OFFICE, No. 30, Louisiana avenue, near the City Hall, Washington city.

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-REFERS TO-Robt. H. Hunton, Burke & Herbert. Drayton G. Meade, aug 15-dlwkeotf THOMAS S. JAMIESON,

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D. L. SMOOT, Attorney at Law. Office, No. 11, South Royal street, Alexandria, Va Practices in Alexandria, the neighboring counties, and Washington city. Prompt returns made of all money collected.

References. Messrs. McNeal & Jones, Baltimore; Messrs. G. & T. Parker & Co., Washington city; Messrs, Smoot, Uhler & Co., Alexandria, Va.; Messrs. Burke & Herbert, Alexandria, Va.

mh 9-1y C. C. BRADLEY, CABINET, CHAIR & SOFA MANUFACTURER, Corner of King & Alfred sts., Alexandria, Va. H AS constantly on hand, and offers to the pub-lic, an excellent assortment of Cabinet Ware, Sofas, and Chairs of every variety, and on the low- jan 24 est terms, which, for durability and finish, cannot mh 4—1y

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DAVY & HARMON.

ATTORNEY AT LAW, -Alexandria, Va. 20 Office on Royal street, lately occupied by

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c.

ANDRETH'S EXTRA EARLY PEAS.-We I have just received by steamer C. C. Alger, a ket thardeners wishing a supply of these Peas, will do well by sending their orders early, as the supply is limited. For sale by J. LEADBEATER & SON,

Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax-st. HAIR PREPARATIONS.—Jones' Hair Dye; Jules Hauel's do.; Eau Berger's do.; Batchclor's do.; Orfilas' do.; Mrs. Allen's Hair Restorer and Zylobalsamum; Wood's Hair Restorer; Jaynes' Hair Tonic; Chrystaline Pomade; and various

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1st mo 21 Nos. 5 & 7, South Fairfax street. Castile do., Castor Oil, Gelatine, Extracts Vanilla, Lemon, Strawberry, Raspberry and Peach, Sulphate Quinine, Morphine, Blue Mass, and Nitrate

Silver, just received and for sale by jan 9 J. WILLIAM BOWLING. VIRGINIA COAL OIL, from the Kanawha Works, a very superior article, giving a more intense light than any other Oil in the market. Just received and for sale by Dr. R. H. STABLER,

STABLER'S AROMATIC TOOTH SOAP, a ian 19 No. 165 King-street, cor. of Wash. superior preparation for Cleansing and Preserving the Teeth, Purifying the Breath, &c. A fresh supply just prepared by

DR. R. H. STABLER, Chemist, jan 19 No. 165 King street, cor. of Wash. TEGETABLE APERIENT SYRUP,-This V preparation is a pleasant and gentle remedy for the Constipation of the Bowels, or in any case equiring a mild Cathartic. Prepared by DE. R. H. STABLER,

No. 165 King-street, cor of Wash pains will be spared to sustain the reputation of the HOUSE as a FIRST CLASS HOTEL in every respect.

Alexandria, February 1, 1859—dtf

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J. LEADBEATER & SON,

> No. 1 LYNCHBURG SMOKING TOBACCO, just received, and for sale by WM. A. HART, No. 112, King-street,

1st mo 25 Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax street

next door east of the Marshall House, ## Sign of the Golden Mortar. jan 30

WILLIAM A. HART, Druggist and Apothecary, 109, King st., cor. Pitt.

Sign of the Golden Mortar. TIRGINA COAL OIL .- This oil is of a light, V beautiful color, and possesses very little of the unpleasant odor so objectionable in most of the Coal Oils. For sale, wholesale and retail, by LINTWISLE'S TAR BEER FOR COUGHS. Li This excellent article, for pulmonary com-

plaints, always on hand. PURE PINE OH: Linseed Oil; 95 per cent peets of future usefulness. The Directors hope and believe, that, by prudence, caution, and a rigid

REMOVED. WILLIAM A. HART has removed his DRUG STORE from 109 to 112 King Street, one door east of the Marshall House, where he will be glad to see all his old customers, chosen by the insured and the Corspany.

STRENGTHENING PLASTERS.—Arnica,
Warming, Burgundy Pitch, Alceek's Porous,
Park's Prickly, Poor Man's Blister, Rhoumatic,
Christopher Neale, &c., &c., for sale by H. COOK & CO. P. D. Lipscomb,

jan 14 BAZIN'S COMPOUND CAMPHOR ICE, with Glycerine, a full supply just received direct, A. R. Blakey. and for sale by JAMES ENTWISLE, JR., jan 17 HAIR DYE. Jones', Batchelors', Mathews' Phalons, Wrights', Gilmans', Jules Hauels',

Jaynes', &c., received, and for sale by jan 19 H. COOK & CO.; Sarepta Hall, SPALDING'S GLUE. —A very convenient artiof Furniture, Glassware, China, &c., for sale by HENRY COOK & CO.

BEST KEROSENE OIL.—A full supply of a first rate article, just received direct, and for sale by JAMES ENTWISLE, Ju., Thomas R. Keith, Robert G. Violett, Apothecary, No. 94, King street, William H. Fowle, DALLY'S CARMINATIVE FOR INFANTS

A fresh supply, just manufactured, and for just by JAMES ENTWISLE, Jr., John B. Daingerfield,

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THIS DAY RECEIVED 5 bbls, Ethereal Oil 5 " Alcohol, 95 per cent jan 23 PEEL & STEVENS, 39 King-st.

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9th mo 10

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IN EROSENE OIL, Alcohol, Ethereal Oil, and A Turpentine, just received and for sale by jan 9 J. WILLIAM BOWLING. DRESSED HOPS, new crop, for sale by I jan 23 PEEL & STEVENS, 39 King-st. HELMBOLD'S FLUID EXT. BUCHU, for sale by [jan 24] PEEL & STEVENS. 9th mo 26 R. H. M.

PURNITURE AND BAGGAGE WAGON. | from 10 to 20 cents per bought in New York. 25 BOXES BEST PEARL STARCH, for sale deed 3 PEEL & STEVENS. A MERICAN, FRENCH, AND ENGLISH and am prepared to haul FURNITURE or BAGGAGE ENGRAVINGS. J. P. CLARKE, No. 158 King Street, Has a splendid collection of American, French, and English ENGRAVINGS, of the most cele-

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Also, a large assortment of Gilt, Rosewood, and

brated masters.

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supply of Landreth's extra Early PEAS. Mar. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMP'Y., LONDON. HEAD OFFICE FOR THE UNITED STATES, No. 37 South Third Street, Philadelphia.

> Paid up Capital and Surplus ...... 2,194,111 02 SECURITY TO POLICY HOLDERS. FITHIS old and responsible Company insures I against loss or damage by Fire, almost every description of property, and offers to Merchants and others desiring insurance, the security of an actual Capital of \$6,298,800, for the whole of which, and for any liabilities beyond, the Shareholders are INDIVIDUALLY RESPONSIBLE, even to the extent of their entire fortunes. The Shareholders number about one thousand, and as a large portion of

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Company established by the laws of the United

States, or any of the several States."

LOSSES, WITHOUT REFERENCE TO LONDON. LIBERAL TO THE INSURED. The uniform course of the Company has always been a liberal one towards Policy Holders. No just claim has ever been disputed, and prompt payment of losses is a standing rule. During the past year. losses exceeding \$525,000 were paid Losses paid as soon as the amount is ascertained

ANNUAL INCOME.

The Income of the Company is now about \$1,-000,000, increasing gradually each year, showing that it has the confidence of the different communities in which business is done. RATE OF PREMIUM. The Rate of Premium will be moderate, and in

The conditions of Insurance are framed with the greatest liberality. JAMES T. CLOSE, Agent. 33 Office in Exchange Block, on King street. sep 28-dly

SOUTHERN PROTECTION INSURANCE COMPANY. ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

CAPITAL OVER 350,000 DOLLARS, AND CONSTANTLY INCREASING. The Charter of this Company offers more favora-SEIGNETTE BRANDY FOR MEDICINAL ble advantages to the farmer and others, than any Company chartered in the State, by insuring with or without a premium note. If the applicant reel from the Importers, and for sale by
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with or without a premium note. If the applicant
prefer, he can pay the full amount of the premium Apothecary, 94 King street. In eash, or by effecting a cash insurance for two THEREAL OIL -West's No. 1 Ethereal Oil, | years, the insured saves one eighth of the amount member, and giving a small premium note, the in-

This Company commenced issuing Policies igninst loss or damage by fire, on the 13th day of March, 1854, since which time over seven thousand seven hundred perso, a have insured and become sand dollars have been paid for losses. Having JAS. ENTWISLE, Jr.,
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THATE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF ANTHONY P. GOVER, President.

Thomas McCormick, ## Office hours from 9 to 11, and from 24 to 31 C. W. WATTLES, Secretary. Office on King street, near St. Asaph. nov 10-dly

TIME POTOMAC INSURANCE COMPANY ▲ OF ALEXANDRIA offers reliable insurance Stabler's Old Stand. for such FIRE and MARINE RISKS as they may receive at their Office, No. 11 FAIRFAX STREET. Also, as a Savings' Bank, receives MONEY ON DEPOSITE, allowing interest, and investing the same agreeably with their Charter.

Board of Directors: D. BOYD SMITH, PRESIDENT. Wm. N. McVeigh, R. S. Ashby, N. Boush, Cassius F. Lee. Lewis McKenzie. nov 10-tf

FULL FALL SUPPLIES. R. H. MILLER, SON & CO., IMPORTERS OF QUEENSWARE, HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM LIVERPOOL, BY SHIP ELVIRA OWENS, 134 CRATES AND HOGSHEADS,

WHICH gives them a full and complete as sortment of GOODS, and they are now prepared to fill all orders from country merchants and others, of a quality unsurpassed in any other city, and at prices, which they assert, will be found, by omparison, as low as any of the Northern cities.
R. H. M., SON & CO., hope to convince Virginia Merchants by a rigid scrutiny, if they will mly try it-that they need not patronize crockery house out of the State. R. H. M., SON & CO, are prepared to do their

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> separate. English White Granite Ewers and Basins, and Prices \$42 to \$50. For sale by Chambers. English White Granite Foot Baths, Slop Jars, &c Do. do. do. Pitchers, Mugs, &c., &c. in any quantities, wholesale and retail, at prices 9th me 26 R. H. MILLER, SON & CO.

> The citizens of Alexandria and vicinity, are nformed that I have an excellent Spring Wagen, to any part of the city, to Washington or short distances in the country. Particular attention given to moving the Furniture of families changing espectfully called, for sale at their residences, to all which I give my PERSONAL ATTENTION. Orders may be left at C. Brengle's Confectionary store, King street, where a slate is provided for the

purpose. [sep 16-dly] W. A. HICKS. CHOPPING AXES.—Just received a supply of first quality Chopping Axes, from 3½ to 7 lbs., for sale by the box or singly JOHN T. CREIGHTON. dec 29

ALEXANDRIA SAVINGS INSTITUTION. IME undersigned, appointed by the Directory I of the Alexandria Savings Institution, to

andit a statement of its affairs for the year ending he 15th instant, and to report thereon, having been allowed free access to the books and accounts of said Institution, and furnished with the actual evidences of property, report as follows:

Dividend to Stockholders, Januuary 15, 1869..... Interest due depositors, January 15, 1860,.... Credit, profit and loss,..... 1,039.83

Assets. Alexandria Corporation Stock \$8,700.00 Bank Old Dominion Stock ..... 5,000.00 Exchange Bank of Va. Stock., 500.00 Farmers' Bank of Va. " 100,00 Fire Insurance Stock ... 531.00 Orange and Alexandria Railroad coupon bonds..... Bills receivable ...... .. 18,750.15

\$36,812.73 The funds, in the opinion of the Committee, are afely invested. ROBT. JAMIESON, | Examining J. J. WHEAT, j Committee.

2,526.58

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Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7, NORTH EUTAW STREET, ill cases will be based upon the character of the BALTIMORE, owner or occupant, and the merits of the risk. would respectfully invite the attention of the publie to their well assorted stock of GRAND AND SQUARE PIANO FORTES, which, for beauty of finish, power and sweetness of tone and elasticity of touch, have been, by judges,

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No. 28 King Street, apposite Know & Bro's. ADDISON, WALLACE & CO., mers of Maryland and Virginia to their large and

nish on the most accommodating terms. OUR STOCK will embrace the most approved Ox Yokes, Cutting Boxes, Corn Shellers.

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Heeds tirass Seed, &c. GUANO, BONE DUST. SUPER PHOS. LIME, &c. We solicit orders, with the assurance that they will be promptly and carefully attended to.
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AGRICULTURAL WAREHOUSE, No. 25, King-street. PLASTER MILL AND FACTORY, No. 49, Union-street. HAVING REMOVED from the old stand on Fairfax street, to the SPACIOUS WARE. to be settled for. - Douglas Jerrold.

HOUSE, No. 25, King-street, we beg leave to call the attention of farmers to our large and well se- the office of Mayor of this city, at the election in We are also creeting a PLASTER MILL, (at

BEST FINE GROUND WINDSOR PLASTER, Of our own Importation. We are also preparing for the manufacture FARMING IMPLEMENTS, which we expect to furnish of the best quality jan 3 MEADE & MARYE.

SEED! SEED!! SEED!!! WE HAVE IN STORE 100 bushels prime new crop Ohio Cloverseed 200 " Grehard-Grass Seed 25 " Kentucky Blue-Grass, of our own im 25 " Herds Grass [portation Italian Rye-Grass, Sweet Scented Vernal Grass

Secol, White Clover, for sale by MEADE & MARYE, Alexandria Agricultural Warehouse, 25 King st. ated with me, in the AGRICULTURAL IM-

PLEMENT and SEED BUSINESS, MORTON MARYE, and the same will hereafter be conducted under the firm of MEADE & MARYE. I take this opportunity to return to the public office of Sheriff, at the next election, and most remy thanks for the patronage so liberally extended | psetfully solicit your votes, to me, and to ask its continuance to the new firm.

jan 3 DRAYTON G. MEADE. TEA WAREHOUSE, BALTIMORE. GEORGE SANDERS & CO., IMPORTERS, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN TEAS. No. 65, EXCHANGE PLACE, BALTIMORE. Offer to the SOUTHERN TRADE a large and

s any house in the Union. Baltimore, jan 21-dIm\* IN TIME FOR NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

JUST RECEIVED some fine genuine MEERSCHAUM PIPE BOWLS, and REEDS or CHERRY STEMS, to suit. Also very fine TUBES or SEGAR SMOKERS-the very kind the ladies have been and the residue is in wood; and there are about 40 asking after, to make presents to their male friends. And on hand a fine stock of MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, SEGARS, SNUFF, &c. C. P. SHAW, N. E. corner of

1 has peculiar advantages. At the last Penn-English White Granite TEA SETTS and PIECES, sylvania and Maryland State Fairs, it received the first premium. jan 11-1m JOHN OGDEN.

STOP AND READ!

THE BOUDOIR SEWING MACHINE.

from 10 to 20 cents per dozen lower than can be a call. 15 South Royal street. sep 9 HAIR BRAIDS.—Just received, a large assortment of Front Braids, of a superior quality, to which the attention of the Ladies is 25 BASKETS HEIDSICK Cabinet Golden Cluster

jan 25 C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King-street. COAL OIL LAMPS .- A further supply of the sale at lowest market rates, by O above of new patterns, with Jones' or Carleton's Burners, Chimneys, Wicks, &c., just received,

WOOL purchased by the S. W. corner jan 20-d&ctf

MISCELLANEOUS READING.

STYLES OF WOMAN. An English lady, Mrs. Murray, has been voyaging among the Spanish Islands, and has written a book descriptive of the women she meets, particularly at Santa Cruz, the capital of Teneriffe. It is cleverly reviewed by an English critic, and we quote a pas-

257.45 "They are pretty portraits which Mrs. Murray has given us; but one bright, brave, English woman, with her energy and her courage, her self-reliance and her honor, is worth the whole bevy. The marble skin and languid loveliness of the harem beauty, her glo rious eyes, her matchless hair, her bewitch ing mouth, make her very effective as a portrait; -so is the Spanish woman, with her natural flowers braided into her magnificent hair, and her dark eyes speaking so elegant ly from under her arched brows. Let the palm of beauty pass: let the fair haired English girl look pale and expressionless beside these beauties; but at home, who but she bears off the prize before all women of the world? Who so neat, hourly well-appointed, so regular in her habits, so charming in her management? who so sweet a home companion, so reliable so truthful, so mate-like as she? Not the Moorish maiden, ignorant and to be protected by cagewires and impregnable walls; nor the Spanish woman, who washes her babies on the dining-table, trails through the morning dressed like a ragged beggar, and may not go even to mass without her duenna and her guardian. For our own part we would rather pay our homage to such women as we see painted in the Academy, in scarlet petticoats, Balmoral boots, turned hats and gauntlet gloves, with that As also from some of the most eminent Professors | fearless look of honesty and daring which only exits where there is freedom, self-respect and social esteem, than to all the light of the harem."

SIGNATURE OF THE CROSS .- The mark which persons who are unable to write are required to make instead of their signature, is in the form of a cross, and this practice. pronounced unrivalled. Every Piano guarantied | having formerly been followed by kings and for five years, and a privilege of exchange granted at any time within six months, if not entirely sastance of the deplorable ignorance of ancient times. This signature is not, however, in variably proof of such ignorance; ancient PIANOS taken in exchange, hired and repaired | ly, the use of this mark was not confined to illiterate persons; for amongst the Saxons A GRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT AND the good faith of the person signing, was re the mark of the cross, as an attestation of quired to be attached to the signature of those who could write, as well as to stand in the place of the signature of those who ald not write. In those times, if a me could write, or even read, his knowledge was considered proof presumptive that he was in SEEDS, AND GUANOS, holy orders. The word clericus or clerk was which they will be found prepared always to fur- synonymous with penman; and the laity, or people who were not clerks, did not feel any urgent necessity for the use of letters. The ancient use of the cross was therefore uni HARROWS, CULTIVATORS, versal, by alike those who could and those who could not write; it was, indeed, the symbol Corn and Cob Crushers, Churns, of an oath from its holy associations, and generally the mark. On this account Mr Charles Knight in his notes to the Pictorial Shakspeare, explains the expression of "God save the mark," as a form of ejaculation apfound in a first class Agricultural Store, which we | proaching to the character of an oath. This phrase occurs three or more times in the plays of Shakspeare; but hitherto it has been left by the commentators in its original obscurity.

MAN'S ACCOUNT WITH WOMAN. - Look here; you must allow that woman ought, as much as in her lies, to make this world a paradise. seeing that she lost us in the original garden We talk as philosophers; and when all is said about what we owe to woman, you must allow that we have a heavy balance against her. There's that little matter of the apple

Zer Cart. Wn. B. PRICE, will be supported for March, by [jan 31-dte\*] MANY VOTERS.

Zer To the Voters of Alexandria: - I announce No. 49, Union street,) where we will soon be able myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Collector of Taxes for the Southern District, the First and Fourth Wards, and pledge mysell if elected, to do everything in thy power to give satisfaction. I hope by strict attention and the the office the past year, to have secured to me the confidence of my fellow-citizens, and, therefore, respectfully ask that they will give me their votes again at the coming election, which takes place on the 6th day of March. WM. H. SMITH

jan 27-te fully announce myself as a candidate for Collector of Taxes for the Southern District, embracing the First and Fourth Wards, pledging my best efforts

his friends, that he is a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Alexandria City and County, at the next election, and respectfully solicits their votes He refers to his past conduct as a guarantee for the future. To the Voters of the City and County of Alexandria: - I offer myself as a candidate for the

JOT JOHN A. FIELD begs leave to remind

my friends, I have concluded not to run for the Sheriffalty of Alexandria County, but to run for the office of Commissioner of the Revenue. I therefore announce myself as a candidate for that

office. [nov 17-eote\*] WM, A. HART. VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE. -1 am authorized by Mrs. Emma B. Carter, to sell her well selected stock of TEAS, of all kinds and qualities, and in packages of all sizes, and as lew | farm, in Fairfax county, containing about THREE tween the Little River Turnpike, and the Orango and Alexandria Railroad-a very short distance from either, and bounded partly by the extension of the Manassas Gap Railroad. The distance from Alexandria by the Turnpike, is about five miles. One-third of the land is cleared and under fence, acres of rich bottom land. The tract is well watered by several never-failing springs, and by a stream which runs through it. The improvements are comfortable, consisting of a frame DWEL HILLING AND KITCHEN, stables, corn house

King and Fairfax sts. The tract is now occupied by Mr. John Malone, who will show it to persons desiring to purchase. The terms will be made accommodating.

nov 5-eoff R. JOHNSTON. M ERCHANTS AND OTHERS IN WANT of BROOMS and WOODEN-WARE, will find it to their advantage to call at our Factory before purchasing elsewhere, as we are now re-WE are determined that our MERCHANTS shall have no excuse to buy BROOMS at shall have no excuse to buy BROOMS at and fletter ourselves that we can sell as low as can the North, for we will sell from this date, Brooms, be bought of second hands at the North. Give us

> BROOM CORN WANTED at the Factory, on HERRING & EVANS, Royal street, a few doors South of King.

with various other brands of Champagne; also pure old Sherry, Maderia and Port Wines, for dee 19 RIDGELY, HAMPTON & CO.

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